### A LETTER OF INTEREST

Col. John S. Mosby Writes About Hon. R. M. T. Hunter.

### POLITICAL DISABILITIES

Measure for Their Removal was Gotten Through by Colonel Mosby's Efforts. His High Opinion of Mr. Hunter-Wanted Him President.

The following interesting letter from Colonel John S. Mosby to Judge T. R. B. Wright, of Essex county, will prove interesting, dealing, as it does, with the measure for the removal of the political disabilities of Hon. R. M. T. Hunter, formerly a United States Senator:

Judge T. R. B. Wright, Tappahannock, Va.:

My Dear Sir,—I have your letter in reference to our conversation in Washington, in which I spoke to you of the part I had taken in procuring the removal of Mr. R. M. T. Hunter's disabilities. It was the first time, I believe, that I ever mentioned it to any one, and the occasion of it was that I had just seen a notice of a life of Mr. Hunter by a member of his family. Although, I was raised an Albemarle Whig, and had never seen Mr. Hunter, I was always an admirer of his public character. He had some opinions about the constitutional right of secsion, which I had been taught to ablor, but they were mere academic ablor, but they were laws opposed to the policy advocated by Governor Wise and Mr. Jefferson Davis, of establishing slavery, in the territories by an act of Congress; for a law protecting slavery, there was any law requiring a man to hold slaves in Virginia; there were laws protecting the right of property in slaves. As slavery, or the right of property in slaves, As slavery, or the right of property in slaves, As slavery, or the right of property in slaves, As slavery, or the r

the line in which the Roman poet sums up the life of a good man who has done lis duty—

Integer Vitae, scelerisque purus.

We all know now how the South threw away the substance in pursuit of the shadow. The war came and I went against all my theories from a sentiment of sympathy with the Virginia people. It was illogical. I admit; but the human heart is not controlled by the laws of logic. After I had become a commander I oneo called on business to see the Secretary of War, Mr. Seddon. I was amitted to his room; he was engaged in a conversation with a gentleman who soon went out. I then shook hands with Mr. Seddon and asked him who the gentleman was. He looked much surprised and said:

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Integer that I received a letter from Mr. Hunter introducing to me a young man—Garland Smith—who came to join my command. He proved to be a fine soldler and I made him a lleutenant, Sometime ago I read with deep sorrow a notice of his death. Mine and Mr. Hunter's paths never crossed, and we never met but once, and then only for a minute, many years afterward. In the campaign of 1872 we took opposite sides; he supported Mr. Greely—I supported General Grant. Now, my support of Grant was not based on any approval of what the Republicans had done in governing the South based on any approval of what the Republicans had done in governing the remember of the sense of the sense of the sense who didn't think as I did.

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During the session of Congress succeeding the presidential election a bill had passed the House and go; a to the Senate removing Mr. Hunter's disabilities. I heard of it a few days before the close of the session and was told that it could only pass by unanimous consent. During the campaign I had gotten very well acquainted with Senator Zach Chandler, the chairman of the Republican Congres-Ing the campaign I had gotten very well acquainted with Senator Zach Chandler, the chairman of the Republican Congretational Committee. I happened to meet him in the rotund of the Capitol, and, apprehending that he might have some

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feeling toward Mr. Hunter, growing out of the slavery conflict. I called his attention to the bill for his relief and asked him not to oppose it. He promised me that he would not. I remember telling him that Ylyghia had just voted for Grant, and would be a handsome recognition of the confliction of the first him to the telling the confliction of the promise Chandler had made me. Senator and I wanted Mr. Hunter to have a fair show. I told Senator John F. Lewis of the promise Chandler had made me. Senator Edmonds, of Vermont, had promised me, the same, Some days after this interview with Chandler the bill came up and Chandler objected. This meant the defeat of the bill. Lewis rose and asked Chandler if he had not promised not to oppose the bill. Chandler replied that he had no recollection of It. Lewis then walked to Chandler's seak and whispered: "Didn't you promise Colonel Mosby not to object?" Chandler said;

er. IOOKED UPON AS A RENEGADE.
I have no doubt but that at that time
Mr. Hunter, with a large majority of the
Virginia people, looked on me as a rene
made-about such a character as Alp in
13yron's Siege of Corinth. I make no complaint about it. My fate has simply been
the common lot of mortality—

Very truly, JOHN S. MOSBY.

Interesting Occasion.

The meeting at the Y. M. C. A. hall, Main-Street Station, on Sunday afternoon was one of exceptional interest. The orchestra rendered several excellent selections. Miss Pattle Isaacs sang two soles in the charming manner so characteristic of her singing. Miss Kato Puller, the well-known elocutionist, gave some choice rendings that delighted the audience and there were interesting reports from the desgates to the recent National Y. M. C. A. Conference, at Topeka. Topeka, as a city free from saloons, was most favorably commented upon and when the hope was expressed that some day old Richmond would be rid of bar-rooms, there were hearty amens from all parts of the ball and applause.

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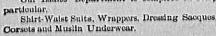


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# **PRESIDENT**

Commissioner to General Assembly Objected to it.

HE MOVED ITS REFERENCE

But Proposition Met Storm of Disapproval and Resolution Was Adopted With Only Few Votes Cast Against It.

(By Associated Press.)

LOS ANGELIES, CAL., May 23.—The harmony that has prevailed since the opening of the Prosbyterian General Assembly received a slight shock Saturday. Although the shock was of but momentary duration, it, nevertheless, caused the only commotion that has attred the body since the sessions began. After disposition had been made of the business of the session, Rev. Frederick K. Stanley, of Atlantic City, N. J., introduced a resolution that this message he sent President Rooseveit:

Roosevelt:
"Christian greeting, With prayer for God's blessing on you, and divine guidance in all your high responsibilities. See numbers 6, 24, 26."

A commissioner in the center of the sprang to his feet and in a "Mr. Moderator, I move that this reso-lution be referred to the Committee on

Correspondence."

A second to this motion was made immediately. There were loud cries of "No. no." from all parts of the house.

Moderator Coyle hesitated for a moment and then remarked in a decisive tone:
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"I do not think that this would be the proper disposition of this resolution."

Before he could proceed further he was interrupted by calls of "vote. vote," Moderator Coyle rapped vigorously with his gavel and said: "All those in favor of sending this resolution to the Committee on Correspondence will say "aye."

There was a faint response by perhaps a score of commissioners, which a moment later was made to seem insignificant by the great volume of "noes."

"The resolution is lost," Said Moderator Coyle, striking his gavel upon the deak with a resounding whack. There was a burst of applause from the commissioners, as well as from the galleries. It was quickly moved and seconded that the resolution made by Mr. Stanley be adopted, which was done by an unanimous yote.

#### OUTING DOWN THE RIVER

Annual Trip of Church Hill Young People-Delightful Trip.

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The third annual outing given by the young people of Church Hill and West End to Drewry's Blurf on Friday, May 22, on the yacht Cecelia, Captain Kilne in charge, was a grand success where the history of the hi

### SUMMER LAW SCHOOL

Advantageous Proposition by the University to Richmond College Boys. The law class of Richmond College is in receipt of a communication from the professors in charge of the Sum-mer Law School at the University of Virginia, in which the kindly offer is

mer Law School at the University of Virginia, in which the kindiy offer is made of a substantial reduction in tuition fees for a small club class to attend the course.

The offer, however, is not confined to the College class, but extends to any Richmond lawyers or business man who desires to take advantage of this exceptionally fine opportunity to improve himself.

Many expressions of appreciation at the spirit of this offer have been heard and those members of the class who can avail themselves of the opportunity will be glad to list with them any outsiders who may wish to attend this summer course. Communications addressed to "The Law Class." Richmond College, will be productive of further and more particular information on the subject.

#### COMMISSION GETS MONEY FOR STATE

Substantial results are beginning to come into the State through the agency of the Corporation Commission and yesterday for the first time, a large amount of money was paid in corporation taxes.

The old law providing that foreign corporations doing business in Virginia should pay annual charter fees, but it is said that it fell with disuse and was only executed in cases where the corporations chose to respect its provisions. The new Constitution and statutes incident thereto have conferred upon the Corporation Commission adequate means of enforcing it and in response to notices sent out the body yesterday started out by receiving its first installment of \$30,000.

The members look for great results in this line and each day for some time other companies are expected to respond, The Commission had no applications for charters yesterday.

#### THE CITY COMMITTEE MEETS IN AUGUST

In all likelyhood, there will be a late primary in which to nominate the candidates for the House of Delegates in Richmond this fall and if this be true, every effort will be made to keep down the canvass until after the hot weather. Chairman James B. Doherty said yesterday that he did not anticipate any meeting of the committee with reference to the matter until some time in August and it is said that most of those interested in the matter favor putting off the final struggic until some time in October, Members of the City Democratic Con-

ber, members of the City Democratic Committee for all the wards and a senator will be nominated at the same time with the House members and a long ticket is anticipated. Candidates are already announcing themselves for thouse, but it is not with the intention of going into any early canvass.

Property Transfers,
Property transfers recorded yesterday

Richmond—Lewis H. Blair and wife to Emilio Garzoli, 23 1-4 feet on Broad Street, northeast corner of Smith, 10,000.
Junius A. Clarke and wife to Wm. O. Clarke, interest in 25 feet on west side of Twenty-sixth Street, 140 feet north of N. Street, Minnio L. and M. M. Eiseman to J. C. Mayfield, 22 feet on south side of Grove

Avenue, 66 feet west of Lombardy Street, subject to deed of trust for \$3,750, \$700.

P. E. Eubank and wife to E. C. Fisher, 20 feet on south side of Church Street, 150 feet south of Holly, \$550.

L. C. Jenkins and wife to Lizzle G. Neale, 20 feet on east side of Fifth Street, 143 1-3 feet south of Main, \$5,600.

W. W. Johnson to Benj. H. West, 25 feet on east side of Sixth Street, 61 feet north of Prenton, subject to deed of trust for \$400, \$5.75.

J. C. Mayfield and wife to Minnie L., wife of M. M. Elsenan, 21 feet on south side of Main Street, 64 7½-12 feet west of Beech, \$4.800.

Antonic Morello and wife to Wim. F. Harwood, 20 feet on north side of Orleans Street, 60 feet east of Futon, \$37.50.

Thomas D. Nowell and others to Herbert S. Dalton, 25 feet on Hanover Street, southwest corner of Plum, \$2,700.

Henry B. Wallerstein and wife to Christina B. Zehle, 25 3-4 feet on north side of Marshall Street, between Fourth and Fifth, \$2,957.09.

Henrico—Dast Virginia Land and Improvement Co. to L. B. Brooks, 30 feet on north side Dickinson Street, \$112.50.

G. Carlton Jackson, special commissioner and others to Chesapeake and Olio Railway Co., 59 feet on west side of West Street, 240 feet south of Wood, \$250.

Edward Sydnor, Robert R. Scott, their wives and Charles S. Creashaw 10 John

1250. Pdward Sydnor, Robert R. Scott, their wives and Charles S. Cronshaw to John W. Hughes, 68 acres on Charles City Road, if miles below Richmond, \$50).

#### **GOVERNOR BUSY**

Receives Callers and Reads Papers in the Southwest Cases.

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Governor Montague spent yesterday in his office, and was busy all day receiving callers and reading over papers on cases that are now pending before him.

His Excellency has taken up the applications for commutation of sentence in the two Southwest Virginia cases, in which men in Wise and Dickenson counties are to hang on June 12th barring executive interference, and was engaged during much of the day in reading them over.

over."

He will hardly reach a decision on either for some days yet, as the applications in both are very voluminous decuments. Bo far as is known, the Governor has no plans which will take him out of the city during the week.

#### OPPORTUNITY FOR YOUNGMAN

Good Place Waiting for Right Person

on State Farm. on State Farm.

Mr. Henry Nicoll, who owns a large stock farm at Zion's Mills, in Lee county, is in a dilemma. He wants a capable mun to assist him on his place in the conduct of his business, but he writes Commissioner Kolner that he has been unable to find such one. He says that he would like a young man, preferably with a college training, his duties to be "curing for breeding a herd of cows, and feeding young stock for market." To the right man, he says, he can offer a most desirable position, which pays well.

### ELECTRICITY CASES

Three Charges of Interfering with Me

ters to Be Heard To-Day. In the Police Court this morning the cases of Charles Glannotti, W. J. Taylor and Guiseppi will be called.

These men are charged with interfering with the proper registration of the electricity meter in order to cut down the showing in the amount used. The charges are brought by the Passenger and Power Company.

Lecture at West View Church. Lecture at West View Church.

The third of the series of lectures inaugurated by the Committee on Institutional Work of West View Baptist Church, Grove Avenue and Meadow Street, will be delivered Wednesday night. The lecturer will be Dr. Robert Frazier, of Warrenton, a well-known educator. The lecture will be free and the pastor and officers of the church cordially invite the people of the community to attend. Dr. Frazier's subject will be "Modern Education."

Meeting of Juniors.

Elba Council, Jr. O. U. A. M. will meet in regular session at Monroe Hall tonight at \$1.15 o'clock, Mr. E. T. Keeton, past State councillor, will make an address and tell of the cause that divided the loyalists and the loyalists and the loyalists and the loyalists and the present.



THE MAN ABOUT Town

-BY-Harry Tucker

DAILY CALENDAR.
1640—S. A. L. sign next to depot started.
1907—Still started.

One of the members of the School Board, who asked us not to mention his name, but who wears glasses, told us a good story.

"Superintendent Fox was on one of his trips through the school," said the gentleman with the glasses.

"He had about completed the circuit, and was in one of the colored schools. He thought he'd get one more whack at the terrified children, so he said:

"Now, I want every one of you to listen and pay attention to what I am about to ask. I want you to recite a sentence in which the word 'delight' occurs."

Silence reigned for fully a minute after the superintendent ceased speaking.

Then a little black head popped up in the rear of the school.

"Ahl" said the superintendent, with a smile in his yeles.

"Ah!" said the superintendent, with a smile in his voice.

"There's a bright little fellow. Now speak out loud, so the whole school can hear."

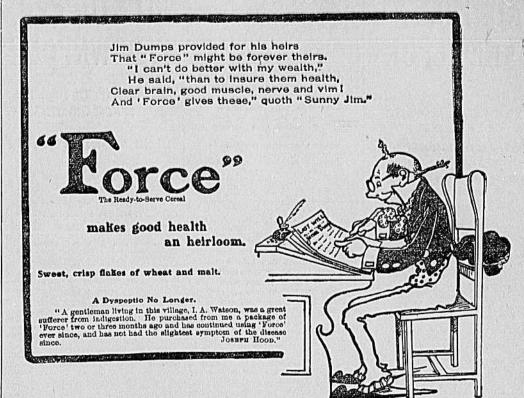
The boy shuffled from one foot to the other and heaved a sigh. Then he said:

"De man opened de do, and de light blowed out." olowed out."

Mister Blair Meanley cats his dinner

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"The Daffy Club" has just been organized by Mister Herbert Hulco and Mister Sam Cook at the City Hall, and now every person who enters the portals of the half and asks foolish questions becomes a member of the club.

We are No. 38.

The other 37 are people like Captain F. W. Cunningham, Captain C. II. Phillips, Major C. O. Saville, Judge Grimaan, Colonel J. B. Welch and Frivate T. C. Walford.

And Mr. J. D. Craig, Jr., is general council.

The others for the first twenty-five years are: Powww. C. I. Phillips; Major C. O. Saville, Judge Grimaan, Colonel J. B. Welch and Frivate T. C. Walford.

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